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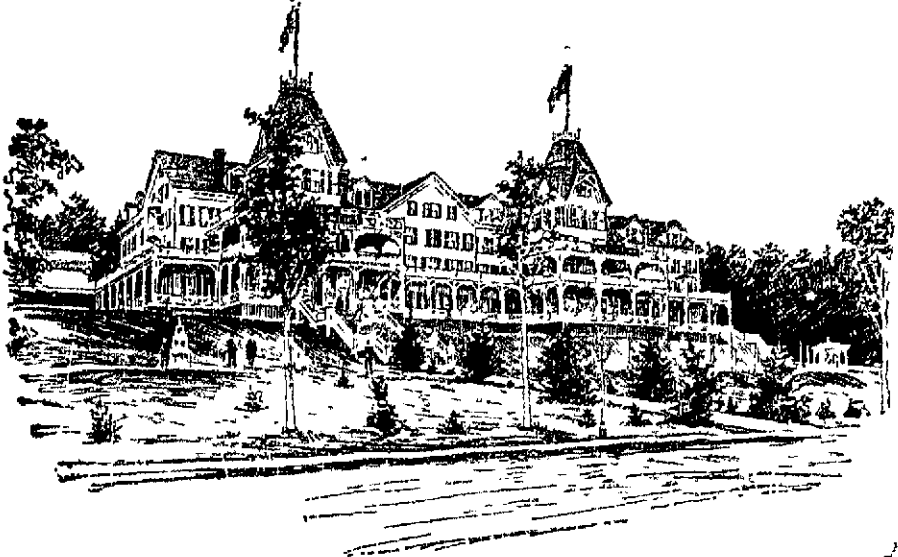
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The Iduna Springs Land Company having plotted their valuable tract of land, abutting on three sides the Iduna Hotel property, will sell at Public Auction, on the day and hour above named, on the premises at Long Beach, 200 Fine Cottage Lots. This desirable property is located near the centre of the beautiful and unexcelled Long Beach. It has a frontage of about 500 feet on the road leading to York Harbor, controlling all the beach in front. These lots contain from 4,000 to 20,000 square feet each and front upon broad avenues and are so laid out that in the plan a broad avenue extends from the rear lots to the ocean. It is claimed for this locality that its central position and magnificent beach gives it a greater combination of advantages than any other in York. It is about midway between York Harbor and York Beach. This property is within easy walking distance of "Roaring Rock," Dover Bluffs and York Nubble. The facilities for bathing are excellent. That the many as well as the few shall have an opportunity to own Shore Property and become interested in the growth and development of the wonderful coast of Maine, the owners have decided to make the terms of the sale at \$5.00 on each lot when sold and the balance at \$5.00 a month, and without interest and without taxes until paid for. A caterer will be present and a free lunch served on the grounds during the sale. Come everybody and accept "Old York's" most brilliant opportunity to become an owner of Real Estate.

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PRESIDENT OF NEW MILK PRODUCERS' COMPANY SAYS IT'S NO SWINDLE.

O. E. Patch, president of the new milk producers' company, which has headquarters in Boston, was interviewed by a reporter on Wednesday regarding the recent intimation that the company is a swindle.

"Have the agents of the milk producers' company represented that the concern had \$20,000,000 behind it or any other immense sum of money?" was asked.

"No," was the reply. "Is the milk producers' company backed by any funds except those paid into the treasury by the members?"

"No."

"Has there been any absolute promise that the price of milk would be raised four cents a can?"

There were conditions in the contract which every man could read and know the meaning of.

"The farmers have been told our plans. They know just what the organization hopes to do in maintaining the price of milk at a fair figure. They have been warned of what the result may be if we fail in our endeavors. They had an opportunity to read the company contract or to have it read to them before they signed their intention to take stock. There was no misrepresentation and no misunderstanding."

Farmers to Investigate.

The farmers of Greenland, Hampton, Stratham, Durham and other towns in this section will probably have a meeting soon to consider the status of this new company. Many of them have begun to suspect that things are not all right, and that inducements were held out to them which will not be fulfilled.

A Greenland farmer who was in town today told a *Herald* man that the company will have to show its full hand before the milkmen will enter into closer associations with it.

BOSTON & MAINE REPORT FOR THE YEAR.

The Boston & Maine preliminary report for the quarter and year is issued, and is a fair one in the result. A balance of \$45,413 to the good is shown after all payments, including charges for new equipment and train safety appliances to operating to the extent of \$489,714 against \$414,264 in the previous fiscal year. It may be presumed that this new equipment was in addition to replacing any old equipment that was past use. In the new year now entered upon these extra expenses are likely to be reduced materially.

COON CLUB OUTING.

The annual outing of the Coon club of New Hampshire will probably be held on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16 and 17. The itinerary will be definitely settled upon at a meeting to be held in Manchester on Aug. 26.

The committee is at present unable to decide between two trips in different directions, either of which would be very enjoyable. The indications are that whichever one is selected there will be a large turnout of the "boys" from all parts of the State.

MR. HOWELLS WILL PROLONG HIS STAY.

William Dean Howells, the novelist, has taken such a liking to Kittery Point that he will prolong his sojourn there until about October first. He will undoubtedly come again next summer, for this coast has fascinated him with its beautiful outlooks, bracing air and congenial summer colonies. Mr. Howells continues to work steadily upon his forthcoming novel and other compositions which will be produced in the autumn and winter.

REMODELLING OF TRINITY CHURCH.

With the arrival of autumn, the work of remodeling Trinity Methodist church will be carried forward with vigor. The plans have practically been formulated and the building committee will take hold of them in earnest as soon as the summer season is over. A notable change for the better will be made in the edifice.

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YACHTING NOTES.

This is the height of the yachting season and handsome white flyers come into the harbor almost every day. Most of them are going to or coming from Bar Harbor.

Capt. Samuel Pillsbury of Kittery and two friends leave today in his yacht *Rena* for a two weeks' trip along the coast of Maine.

Harry P. Chadbourne and Walter E. Shute of Biddeford, Me., are to take a cruise on the former's yacht, *Vanity*, to the Shoals tomorrow.

Local yachtsmen say that they never knew a season so free of fog as this has been; nor one in which the trips have been made over such smooth seas.

SHOALS EXCURSION.

No excursion of the season has been favored with more delightful weather than the Shoals outing today conducted by the King's Daughters. About four hundred tickets were sold, and when the Viking left her wharf for the islands this morning at 8 10, she carried over two hundred passengers. The others went out later. The steamer will make her final trip back to Portsmouth at 9 30 this evening. Many of the excursionists returned at 3 o'clock, but some will make a day of it at the Shoals, not coming in until the last boat.

BOWLING PROSPECTS.

Already are the bowling cranks talking up the chances for a good team here the coming season. About September first Manager Schurman will open his alleys again and the experts will begin to get into form. A strong team can easily be organized. Such bowlers as Luebrook, Frank and George Woods, Mitchell, Horace and Will Webb, Kehoe, Lynes, Buchanan, Dow and a dozen others almost as good will be available, for both regulation and candle pins.

MEETING OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE.

The Anti-Saloon league of the state opened a two days' session at Hampton beach today. The exercises are held in the Casino, at 10 a. m. and at 3 and 7 p. m. A large number of speakers are on hand, many of whom are well known in politics, or in business, as well as in prohibitory work throughout the state. The *Herald* has already published a list of those invited to deliver addresses.

DR. McALLESTER TO PREACH.

The Rev. W. C. McAllester, D. D., of Randolph, Mass., will supply the pulpit of the Middle street Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening. His subjects will be "The Kingdom of Jesus" and "Love the Fulfilling of the Law." Dr. McAllester formerly preached at the First Baptist church in Manchester. He is at present sojourning at York Beach.

TO ENGAGE IN LIVERY BUSINESS.

It is understood that Eugene McOne of this city is to open a livery stable in Dover which will be equipped as well as anything of the kind that the city on the Cochee has ever had. There is a good opening in Dover for a first class stable and young Mr. McOne is well adapted to take advantage of it.

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE UMPIRE?

Manager Newell is to put his coils through a series of secret practices. It is said that Walter Woods' homecoming was at the urgent request of Manager Newell who realizes that the situation is critical. Meanwhile the Bronchos are eating good, wholesome, fresh baled hay and giving odds on the result.

TELEPHONE SERVICE TO BE EXTENDED ALONG THE COAST.

The life-saving stations at Jerry's Point and Wallis Sands are to be connected by telephone with the stations at Salisbury beach and Plum Is. This will in all probability be done before winter.

SATURN NOW AT ITS BEST.

The bright yellow star which may now be seen at a rather low altitude directly south at about 9 p. m., is the planet Saturn. This wonderful ringed world is now attracting a deal of attention nightly. It appears at its best and is a pretty sight.

HEDDING.

Board of Officers Elected by the Chataqua Association.

At the annual meeting of the Hedding Chataqua association, the following officers were elected: President, J. B. Upham, Malden, Mass.; first vice president, Alanson Palmer, New York city; second vice president, Dr. A. T. Severance, Exeter; third vice president, the Rev. Otis Cole, Haverhill, Mass.; fourth vice president, Mrs. Dr. W. O. Jenkins, Portsmouth; clerk, Mrs. Lillian B. Folsom, Rochester; managers, A. M. Stickney, Medford, Mass.; Eugene Cox, Methuen, Mass.; Mrs. S. D. Wentworth, Rochester; Mrs. S. L. Thompson, Concord; Mrs. A. B. Mathewson, Malden, Mass.; Mrs. Etta M. Stearns, Saco; Mrs. T. W. Lane, Amesbury, Mass.

GREENLAND.

GREENLAND, Aug. 17. Mr. Charles H. Brackett spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Boston.

Miss Sadie Wiggins of Portland, Me., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wiggins.

Mrs. George Brackett returned home yesterday after a few days' visit with relatives in York, Me.

Mrs. Grace Ladd and children of Epping are guests of Mrs. Sarah H. Ball.

Miss Effie Crowell and Miss Alice Seavey spent yesterday at York Beach.

If some of the out of town bicyclists don't keep off the sidewalks, they will get into trouble.

DOVER POINT.

DOVER POINT, Aug. 17.

The schooners G. W. Raitt, Anderson, and Hattie Lewis, Clarke, of the brick fleet, arrived from Boston, light yesterday, and passed up river to load; the former at Joseph Libbey's yard, the latter at Morang and Henderson's yard.

The tug *Iva* went up to Exeter this morning.

The gondola Fanny M., Capt. Adams, went up river to Newmarket, to load cargo of wood. G. W. Ford's yard.

The Misses Katie Parle and Cassie Maguire who have been visiting in Haverhill, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Lou and son Willie of Somersworth are visiting Mrs. John Randall.

Miss Lena Howland of Haverhill is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parle.

Mrs. Morang and son Ralph are visiting friends in Portsmouth for a few days.

E. G. Gage, the well known brick manufacturer of this place, has contracted with the Dover Beef Co., to furnish them with 175,000 brick for their refrigerator at Dover.

A merry party consisting of Fred Morang, Chester Spilney, James J. Parle, Diamond Emerson and Capt. Jack Saunders went outside yesterday on a fishing trip in the latter's fast sailing yacht. They report a very pleasant trip. Cold cream was in great demand last evening.

E. G. Gage was in Portsmouth yesterday on business.

\$100 REWARD \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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KINGMOND WON IN STRAIGHT HEATS.

Kingmond, the Hon. Frank Jones' trotter, beat out the field easily in the 2.25 event at Rigby, Wednesday, and won \$500 for Maplewood farm. Marsh gave him only a slow work out, and the Portsmouth horse won three straight heats in a walkover.

Mr. Jones saw the races, occupying a box with Governor Grant of Vermont and the Hon. Thomas B. Reed.

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CITY BRIEFS.

The concerts and dances at the Sagamore house will soon be resumed.

Market square will be paved about as soon as Bryn is elected president.

Twelve hundred fares were rung in on one car on the P. K. & Y. road yesterday, and it was just an ordinary day for trolley business, too.

Summer guests from the beaches who come to town to ride around for a half day are putting a lot of bright dollars in the pockets of the livermen.

City Solicitor Emery is moving from his present offices in the Philbrick block into other quarters in the building to make room for the local telephone exchange.

Grand fireworks display at Sea Point tonight. Excellent music with it. Special cars will run all the evening.

These summer visitors who delight in collecting all sorts of antique furniture have had a fine chance to spend their money in this way here in Portsmouth during the past week.

The Boston and Maine railroad has declared a dividend of three dollars per share on its preferred stock, the same payable at the office of the treasurer in Boston on Friday, Sept. 1.

The reports of shot guns at various intervals during the day in certain pieces of woods where partridges are known to congregate denote that some of our local sportsmen are not living up to the prescribed game laws.

The ride along the North shore from Hampton beach up by the Jerry's Point life saving station to the Hampton line is becoming quite popular, and the observation car running on that branch is carrying a lot of passengers.

One of the best posted apple men in this section says that the total crop of the United States will be larger than for the past two years, and that while Maine and New Hampshire are very short, the distribution will be unusually even.

LOOKING FOR JOBS HERE.

Since Monday, at least a score of the shoemakers who left the Exeter factory on a strike have been in this city looking for employment. They could not secure positions in the Portsmouth factory, because it is the slack season just now. Some of them were willing to work at almost anything besides the shoe business. Among them were two or three young women who found places as table girls at York.

HOUSE BURNED AT EPPING.

The dwelling owned and occupied by Mrs. Atwood Parington, on Chicken street, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday. Nothing could be done to stop the blaze owing to the scarcity of water. This is the third time the dwelling has been on fire. There was an insurance.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascara Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. C. C. C. Co. All to cure, druggists refund money.

The river steamers were packed with people on Wednesday.

MIGHT SMELL HIS BREATH.

No Drinks Because His Mother-in-Law Was Visiting.

"Jove, old man, I haven't seen you for three years. How are you, anyway?" asked Clipperton when he ran across Featherbee in the lobby of the Russell House the other day, says the *Detroit Free Press*.

"I'm not the man I was when we were at college," was the reply, as the hands clasped.

"Been sick?"

"None."

"Were you in the army?"

"I should say not."

"Business reverses?"

"Not one."

"Well, what's the matter, then?"

"Nothing much."

"Yes, there is. You look as though someone had been telling you an old story."

"Nothing of the kind."

"Oh, say, speaking of stories, I've got a new one, Brown's mother-in-law—"

"Stop right there!" exclaimed Featherbee, with a haunted look in his eyes.

"Clipperton, there was a time when I looked upon mother-in-law stories as canards, as delusions, as libels on a worthy class of human beings, but I don't any more."

"Why not?"

"I've been married since I saw you last."

"So that's what's the matter with you, is it?"

"Oh, hush!"

"Poor old chap! Come in and have something."

"Can't do it."

"Why not?"

"She's visiting us now, and might smell my breath. If she did she'd call out the fire department and alienate my wife's affections before night."

"It's awful, ain't it?"

"And the hands were clasp again; this time in sympathy."

Why He Declined.

The Man with the Freckles on his Nose glanced carelessly over the morning paper which the Man with the Barbed Wire Beard had thoughtfully subscribed for.

"Will you—"

"The landlady spoke his name with infinite sweetness, for she fondly hoped he would pay his board after supper."

"Have some oyster stew?"

The man with the Freckles on his Nose tilted back his chair in defiance of the laws of etiquette and gravitation.

"No, thank you—"

A far-away look came into his eyes. "I'm not thirsty."

It is a matter of conjecture whether it was emotion or stage fright that caused the Man with the Yellow Whiskers to sneeze so violently that he upset the salt cellar.—The Boston Journal.

Incorrectly Stated.

"And you say," said the dog dealer to the irate stage manager, "that those dogs I sold you for that Anarchist play are not up to snuff?"

"No," replied the theatrical man promptly, "I do not say that. I say that those 'genuine Siberian bloodhounds' warranted to track a man across the steppes of Asia, had to be sicked on the stage, and then when they got on, instead of pursuing the flying Nihilists, as was expected, they stopped, wagged their tails in a pleasant, good-natured way and began to sniff of the scenery. They were up to snuff and that was all."

And She Let Him Have the Last Word.

Wife—William, you owe me 21 cents. Husband—Yes, but I paid the gas bill, and you owe me \$1.35.

"Well, but before that I paid the paper boy, and that made you owe me 60 cents."

"Yes, but there was 30 cents I paid on that paper bill for grass cutting."

"I know it, but you borrowed 50 cents of me the next day, and—"

"Great Scott! Take this \$5 and let's begin all over again."—Chicago Tribune.



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More Cavalrymen Ready to Sail for the Philippines—Soldier Supposed to Have Been Killed Comes Home Uninjured—Natural Wealth of the Philippine Islands.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—James Wilson secretary of agriculture, was at the Auditorium on his way back to Washington from his western trip. While on the Pacific coast Secretary Wilson learned something of the agricultural condition of the Philippines.

Mr. Wilson is an enthusiastic expansionist. He believes that the Philippine Islands can supply the United States with the tropical area needed. The islands he regards as perhaps the richest region in natural resources on the globe. What is required is the energy and science of an advanced race to develop them. Already they have figured valuably in the world's commerce. They have almost a monopoly of the hemp product and are renowned for their peculiar tobacco. The secretary thinks the dairy wealth of the islands may be greatly augmented and that the great extent of upland should furnish plenty of grazing land.

What Schurman Found.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—Dr. Jacob G. Schurman, President of the Philippine Commission, who arrived here on the China after being absent in the Orient since January, said he could not say anything about the islands before making his report to President McKinley. "As I said, however, to one of the great statesmen of Japan," he said, "after I had seen something of the Orient, it seems to me that the great question there is not Formosa nor the Philippines, but China. To keep that huge empire intact is the great thing of overshadowing importance."

Cavalry en Route to Manila.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Lieut. Col. W. W. Wessel, Jr., in command of the third cavalry, arrived here last night. With him were the three remaining troops of the detachment.

Capt. Richard Chilcote, superintendent of the transport station, has reported to Capt. Robinson that the transport Gannett is ready to sail. She may sail with the cavalry on Thursday, Aug. 17, three days in advance of the expected date, as the quartermaster general had figured that the troops and horses would not arrive here in time to sail before Aug. 20.

Lieut. Morse Dies at Manila.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Gen. Bliss has reported the death of Second Lieut. B. Morse, ninth infantry, of typhoid fever. Lieut. Morse was appointed May 1 this year. He was in Manila at the time of his appointment and was chosen from the first California heavy artillery.

Lieut. Morse was distantly related by marriage to President McKinley. The lieutenant married Miss Ida McKinley, daughter of David McKinley, the president's brother.

Lost Soldier Found.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Aug. 16.—A month ago a letter from Manila said that Ellis Rinehart of Mayville, a soldier in the regular army, had been captured and tortured to death by Filipinos. Rinehart walked into the office of a friend in this city. He was just returning home from the west and had not heard the story of his alleged death. He has not been in the Philippines, having been discharged for disability before his regiment sailed.

The Hooker a Wreck.

Manila, Aug. 16.—The United States warship Baltimore and Concord have made an unsuccessful attempt to tow off the United States transport Hooker from the Panay, which grounded in the North Channel off Cororogor island a week ago. It is now believed it is impossible to refloat her.

Transferred to the Trust.

Hamilton, O., Aug. 16.—Deaths have been filed in the Butler County recorder's office transferring the Harding Paper Company's plant to the American Writing Paper Company, the so-called paper trust. The nominal consideration was \$100,000, but the actual value of the property is \$400,000. The mortgage of the American Writing Paper Company to the Old Colony Trust Company for \$17,000,000 was also filed in duplicate.

Probable Murder by Indians.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 16.—A special dispatch from Seattle says that the steam schooner Townsend, which went to Jape Nome, under charter of Captain J. Lane, the California millionaire, has returned. Its one passenger, Hugh Kennedy, of San Francisco, says L. N. Martis, of Santa Rosa, Cal., probably was murdered by the natives of the Noatak River, where Martis went on a prospecting trip.

More Shooting in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 16.—James A. Ackman, a street-car conductor in the employ of the Big Consolidated Company, is under arrest on a charge of shooting a passenger. The conductor says he was pushed by the man, and that after some bantering he latterly tried to throw him from the car. The conductor then drew his revolver and sent a bullet through Linkenberger's arm.

Nominated for Assembly.

Batavia, N. Y., Aug. 16.—E. N. Moulthrop of Stafford has been nominated for the assembly by the Democrats of Seneca County.

STILL RISING

No Prospects of Lower Prices For Beef and Pork.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Porkers at the Union Stock Yards have announced another increase in the price of meats. They say there is no prospect of a return of lower prices, but on the contrary further advances may be expected. Steaks that sold at retail for 18 cents a pound three months ago have been pushed up to 21 and 22 cents, and retail dealers complain it is difficult to get the amount of prime meat their trade demands.

Two reasons, but both of the same nature, are given by the packers for the advance in prices. More meat is eaten in this country, they say, than ever before, and the demand for export is unprecedented. There has been no falling off in the supply, but the increased demand has raised the price of beef on the hoof, and the price of dressed meat has followed. Dried salted and smoked meats have felt the effects of a larger demand, and the prices for these, too, have been advanced. Hams are bringing from 3 to 4 cents a pound more than they did a few weeks ago.

An Echo of the Wrecked Bank.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 17.—E. R. Pierce, president; U. B. Watson, secretary; J. L. Kearney and Patrick Conroy, directors, have resigned their places on the Board of managers of the Portsmouth Savings Institution. That this action would be taken by them in compliance with a request from the State Banking Department had been rumored for several days. It is said that this is not done because of any special culpability of the officials named, but because of the appearance of intrusting the affairs of the savings bank to the care of those so prominently identified with the Middlesex County bank, wrecked by its cashier, George M. Valentine.

Mr. Watson was president of the Middlesex bank and Mr. Kearney was secretary of the Board of Directors. Former Mayor E. W. Barnes, ex-City Counsel Adrian Lyon, J. L. Boggs and Thomas Langum were chosen to fill the vacancies. Of the original thirteen composing the board when the bank closed its doors a month ago only three remain in office now. They are George H. Rice, James Gowney and William King, Jr.

The Laborer Conspiracy.

Rennes, France, Aug. 16.—The man who actually fired the shot that wounded M. Labori, it appears, was only one part of the machinery of the conspirators. In spite of the extensive search made for the would-be assassin he is still at large, and the impression is gaining ground that he is being aided by the anti-Dreyfus country people, who are concealing him somewhere.

Will Use X-Ray on Labori.

Rennes, France, Aug. 17.—Maitre Labori has been removed to the residence of Prof. Basch, in a suburb of Rennes. He stood the journey well, although naturally fatigued. The doctors are extremely hopeful of a speedy recovery, but consider it would be unwise for him to return to court until there is absolutely no danger of a relapse. They have sent to Paris for an X-ray apparatus, in order to locate the bullet in the lawyer's body. Maitre Demange has decided to ask for an adjournment, which has necessitated a written application by both Maitre Demange and Capt. Dreyfus, who have sent letters to the President of the court-martial.

Best of All News

Cleveland, O., Aug. 16.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Lake Carriers' Association the wages of all the men employed on the boats from second mates down were advanced 10 per cent.

Ashtabula, O., Aug. 16.—Dockmen at this port have been notified of a raise in wages. One shoveler receiving ten cents a half cent a ton for unloading now will get twenty cents. Engineers' wages are raised from \$60 to \$65 a month, and day laborers get an increase of a cent an hour. Two thousand men are affected. The raise was voluntary.

Had to Pay Poll Tax.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 16.—Two Mormon elders were arrested in Taylor County, Ga., for refusing to pay poll taxes. The elders said they were preachers and exempt, but the judge said the same excuse refused to be recognized as such and assessed a fine. The elders had no money, and were started off to jail, but succeeded in getting the jailer to accept their watches as security until they could send for money to pay the fines. President Rich of the Southern Mormon Society says he will proceed in the courts against the Taylor County judge.

Mountain Climbing.

Glacier, B. C., Aug. 16.—Mount Dawson, hitherto unclimbed peak of the Selkirk, has been climbed by Professor Charles E. Fay of Tufts College and H. C. Parker of Columbia University, members of the Appalachian Club. They were accompanied by Hasler and Pouse, the two Swiss guides of this place. Mount Dawson is the highest peak of the Selkirk thus far climbed, being about 10,800 feet above the sea level. The climbing is regarded by the guides as more difficult than Sir Donald or the Swiss Matterhorn.

To Invite the President.

Pittsburg, Aug. 16.—A committee composed of Gov. William A. Stone, Robert Pittman and E. M. Bigelow, of this city, has gone to Pittsburg, N. Y., to ask President McKinley to be present in Pittsburg on the return of the Tenth Pennsylvania Regiment from Manila. President McKinley has already expressed his desire to be here and to shake the hand of every member of the regiment.

Minister Commits Suicide.

Troy, N. Y., Aug. 16.—The Rev. George McArdle of Mechanicville cut his throat in the presence of his wife. The minister had been brooding over a wrong that had been done to him some time ago, and this, in connection with financial difficulties, led him to commit the deed.

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WITHDRAWS FROM CASE

New Feature in New Jersey Industrial School Scandal.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 16.—John H. Backs, counsel for ex-Trustee Fitzgibbons of the Industrial School for Girls, has withdrawn from the case. Governor Voorhees has received a letter from him stating that such was his intention, and that as his client Mr. Fitzgibbons had resigned from the management of the school, there was nothing left for him to do in the case save withdraw. This practically ends the investigation begun weeks ago by the governor into the conduct of the institution. Mr. Backs's clients were instrumental in having the matter brought to the attention of the governor and acted as an assistant in the investigation.

Governor Voorhees now says that he will appoint a new board of trustees as soon as all of the three remaining members of the old board resign. The three are Aaron Carter, Dr. Meddock and Managing Trustee E. R. Cook. The latter has told the governor that he is sure that the other two will resign within a few days. The only man then in the way of the governor's plans will be Cook himself, and it is generally understood here that he will undoubtedly be asked to resign his managing trusteeship.

To Save Former Slave.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—William E. Belt, a lawyer of this city, has gone to Frederick, Md., to try to save the life of John Alfred Brown, who was a slave boy owned by Mr. Belt's father before the war of the rebellion. Brown was convicted of murder on the confession of another negro, who charged that Brown helped him kill an aged man and wife for their money. The other negro, who was not released for a year, said that he expected to see the trial of the man who charged that Brown was the son of the negro nurse who had charge of Mr. Belt in his infancy, and, being of the same age as Mr. Belt, was his playmate till the war broke up the family. Mr. Belt will try to lay proof of an alibi before the judge.

Murderer Surrenders.

Middlebury, Vt., Aug. 16.—Fred E. Eastwood, of Greenfield, N. J., who shot and instantly killed Frank Penn, his brother-in-law and attempted to murder Mrs. Eastwood, Mrs. Marietta Brown, Mrs. Frank Penn and Edgar C. Brown at East Middlebury, has surrendered himself to Deputy-Sheriff William Cobb. Before the man gave himself up he attempted to commit suicide by shooting through the heart, but he probably will recover. Mrs. Eastwood is the only one whose injuries are dangerous. Drink and family troubles are said to have led to the tragedy.

Notch Steel for America.

London, Aug. 16.—The Pall Mall Gazette, noting the American inquiries for Scotch steel, says the Lankashire firm has been given an order for 10,000 tons for shipment to the United States.

Senator Hayward III.

Omaha, Aug. 16.—It is reported here that U. S. Senator Hayward was stricken with apoplexy at Brownville. He was delivering an address at a Grand Army reunion.

Judge Hilton Very Weak.

Saratoga, Aug. 16.—Judge Hilton had a sinking spell yesterday, and was unconscious for some time, but rallied, and is resting comparatively easy.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. A beauty without it. Cascares, Candy Cathar, clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the system. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascares—beauty for ten cents. All drug stores, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Onks, bruises, stings, sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

IT WAS A MASSACRE.

Some Hard Fighting With San Domingo Insurgents.

REBEL FORCES ARE BEATEN.

Many Men on Both Sides Are Wounded in the Bitterly Contested Engagements.

The Battle Considered by the Government as Decisively Ending the Jimenez Uprising—The Dominicans Declare in Favor of Use of American Money.

Puerto Plata, San Domingo, Aug. 15.—The Government forces commanded by Gen. Escobedo have defeated the insurgents. The rout was almost a massacre.

The wounded on both sides are numerous. The engagement is considered by the Government as decisively ending the Jimenez uprising.

It is believed here that the winning of this decisive battle by the government troops will cause a great change in the revolutionary sentiment that had gained considerable strength and had been growing rapidly during the past two or three weeks. The government, it is thought, will now have no trouble in coping successfully with the uprising and put an end to the difficulties at a very early date.

Garcia, it is said, has decided not to take any part in the revolution and will not command the revolutionary forces as had been expected. There will probably be very little, if any more, fighting done as the defeat of the insurgents has completely demoralized and centered them.

The government plan for the gradual withdrawal of paper money from circulation has established confidence. Short-term bills of exchange on Europe sell for 300 per cent. silver.

The Dominicans, almost without exception, are for the use of American money.

Yaqui Revolt Crushed.

Guaymas, Mex., Aug. 16.—Military operations in the Yaqui Valley culminated on Tuesday in a series of engagements and the final rout and dispersal of the Indians. The Yaquis in rebellion had concentrated their forces at Ycam, on the south bank. Gen. Torree began offensive operations on Monday. After a sharp engagement the Indians fled, leaving thirty dead on the field. The Mexican loss was ten killed and twenty-two wounded. The troops dislodged the Yaquis and killed four. Five of the Twelfth Battalion and one man of the National Guard were wounded.

Executives Talk War.

Pretoria, Aug. 16.—The Executive Council concluded its session, when orders were issued to the field cornets to give out Masoor rifles in exchange for Martini-Henry rifles. A great crowd gathered to receive the arms. The possibility of war with Great Britain is about the only subject discussed, and it is generally felt the burghers should be considered before extreme measures are adopted.

Syndicate to Buy Trolley Road.

Chattanooga, Aug. 16.—A syndicate of Chicago capitalists will be the organizers for the purpose of purchasing the lines of the Chattanooga Electric Street Railway company. T. S. Mordant, general manager of the Vicksburg, Miss. lines, is engineering the deal. An option for thirty days has been given the syndicate on the properties. A deal had been planned with the Hamilton syndicate of Baltimore, but before the money was paid over a hitch occurred. This deal includes all the Lookout Mountain lines.

To Open the Ohio Campaign.

Akron, O., Aug. 16.—Arrangements are already under way here to make the opening of the Ohio campaign in this city on Sept. 23 a memorable event. Gov. Roosevelt and Judge George C. Nash, the Republican gubernatorial candidates, will be the speakers. Gov. Roosevelt's address will doubtless deal largely with national issues, and it is to be expected that he will make a semi-official explanation and outline of the Administration's Philippine policy. The address of Judge Nash naturally will be devoted chiefly to state issues.

The Vigilance Overdue.

New York, Aug. 16.—The Ward Line steamship Vigilance, which left the foot of Wall street last Wednesday afternoon with about fifty passengers, bound for Havana, is forty-eight hours overdue. No anxiety is expressed at her agents' office in this city, they saying that she undoubtedly encountered some storm which has detained her.

Gen. Longstreet Visits U. S. Grant.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 16.—Gen. James Longstreet, United States commissioner of railroads, is the guest here of U. S. Grant. He will go to Sacramento, and from there will return to the east. He has completed his tour of inspection of the government-aided railroads.

Wheat Yield in Northwest.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—The Minneapolis "Journal" in its annual estimate of the wheat crop of the northwest, gives 300,000,000 bushels as the probable wheat yield. That is 25,000,000 bushels less than last year. Farmers are responsible for considerable loss.

Found no Trace of Andrea.

Tromsø, Aug. 16.—Capt. Nasme of the fishing vessel Cecilia, which has just arrived here, reports having met the Natorst expedition, which was fitted out by King Oscar of Sweden to search for Andrea, at Sabine Island, 73 degrees North. Natorst had found no trace of Andrea.

Mauna Loa Sleeps.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 16.—Admiral from Honolulu says that the volcano action of Mauna Loa has entirely ceased.

SAYS HE SWORE FALSELY

Acknowledgment of Perjured Evidence in Trolley Accident Case.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 17.—In the inquiry into the trolley disaster court opened with a sensation in the reversal of the testimony of William Kelly, who, at the opening of the inquiry, stated that he was on the fated car and jumped from the running board to the bottom of the pond. Kelly when recalled to the stand admitted that he had perjured himself. He was not on the car, but in a carriage with two friends and ran into the mud after the car fell to help take the victims from the wreck.

Kelly was immediately placed under arrest and will be proceeded against on the charge of perjury. His testimony subsequently had been the only bit to show that the fated car was running at a safe rate of speed. Kelly gives no reason why he lied.

Frederick C. Beach, editor of the Scientific American, who is summing in Stratford, was called as an expert witness.

Insane Over the Columbia.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Driven to despair by the fear that she would lose a million dollars, which she imagines she has bet on the cup of the Columbia, Mrs. Jane Coleman became violently insane and it took five policemen to carry and drag her to a cell in the police station. She is thirty years old and the wife of a railroad brakeman, and lives at No. 303 East Third street, this city. She has read everything published about the racing yachts since the keel of the Columbia was laid, and a short time ago when she read that the new steel mast of the yacht had broken she first displayed the symptoms of her malady.

Stock Brokers in Trouble.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Stock brokers and bucket shop operators in the northern district of Greater New York, who have been "holding out" on the Federal Government taxes under the new revenue law, which will amount to something over a quarter of a million dollars, are to be brought up with a round turn by the Federal authorities. Revenue inspectors are at work, not have been for some time, on the books of the various stock broker's offices. As a result of their research they have presented some heavy claims and an effort will be made to collect them.

Three Killed by a Train.

Warnersville, Pa., Aug. 16.—The east-bound express of the Philadelphia and Reading railway struck a double-seated carriage, containing Frank Hassler and two sisters named Fleischmann, of Harrisburg, killing all three instantly. Mr. Hassler was proprietor of the Highland House, a mountain resort. He was conveying the Fleischmann girls to the station, where they intended to take the train for Harrisburg.

Bogus Draft in Havana.

Havana, Cuba, Aug. 16.—Local papers have been publishing rumors regarding heavy forgeries, the amounts involved varying from \$4,000 to \$40,000. General Adm. R. Chaffee, Chief of the Governor General's Staff, denies the reports, but admits that a fraudulent request was made for \$4,000 for the President, Lieutenant-Col. Monalvo, administrator of the Presidio, declared he knew nothing of it.

Epidemic Calls For Slaughter.

Altoona, Pa., Aug. 16.—Alarmed by the persistent spread of smallpox, the Board of Health has decided to kill all cats and dogs found in infected houses, to prevent the pet animals distributing the germs in the neighborhood. One Health officer killed thirty dogs one day. The carcasses are carefully gathered up and burned after the animals slain.

Wire Cut Off His Right Leg.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 16.—Joseph W. Moody, forty-five years old, an employee of the Trenton Iron Company, and his right leg severed above the knee while at work in the rolling department of the mill. Moody was at work receiving hot wire from a ground roll, when the wire slipped from his tools and wound around his legs.

Summer Hotel Burned.

Camden, N. J., Aug. 16.—Fire was discovered in the kitchen at the Seneca Point Hotel, on Camdenaua Lake. As there was no means of fighting the flames the building was destroyed. The hotel was rebuilt only a few years ago and was valued at \$65,000. Many guests lost their personal effects.

San Francisco Postoffice Receipts.

San Francisco, Aug. 16.—The gross receipts of the San Francisco Postoffice for the fiscal year June 30 were \$1,002,470, as against \$920,337 for the year 1897-1898. It is the first time in the history of the office that the million dollar mark has been reached.

Climbed a Hill Kneeling.

Milwaukee, Aug. 16.—Holy Hill was visited by hundreds of Catholics in aid of the annual Assumption feast. The Hill was ascended by these Indians on their knees, and miraculous healing is expected.

Broker Dies in Street Car.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Joseph H. Lokes, sixty-one years old, a real estate and insurance broker of No. 394 Cumberland street, Brooklyn, died suddenly in a Fulton street trolley car, supposedly from heart failure.

Admiral Dewey Still Indisposed.

Lehorn, Italy, Aug. 16.—Admiral Dewey is still indisposed. The departure of the American admiral for Florence has been postponed.

The Paris at Milford Haven.

Milford Haven, Aug. 16.—The American Liaison ship Paris has arrived here from Falmouth in order to be docked for repairs.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Rapid Enlistment of Soldiers For Philippine Campaign.

A GREAT ARMY FORMING.

Four Thousand Mules Will Be Required For the Pack and Wagon Service.

Not Much Chance For Those Who Aspires to Be Officers—Many of the Regiments Will Do Garrison Duty—But Volunteers Will Also See Active Service.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The opinion at the War Department is that by December 15 the whole force of 35,000 volunteers will have been enlisted and organized. The whole of this force is destined for the Philippines.

General Corbin's statement shows that of the 35,000, 18,328 have been assigned to the Philippine service, leaving 16,672 still available. The plan of sending the whole volunteer force over would make an army of the 50,000 already determined upon, plus 16,672, or an aggregate of about 67,000 men in round numbers.

Officers say that there will be no official announcement of regiments in addition to the thirteen ordered by the President until the order comes from La Champa. Anticipating this order, the War Department officials are making active preparations for the enlistment of five regiments. Secretary Root and Adjutant-General Corbin are considering a list of eligibles for colonelcies in new regiments. Some of the appointments, as heretofore, will be made by the War Department, and others on recommendations of Governors of States, which have been asked for. Officials do not deny that at least three of the colonels have already been determined upon.

Secretary Root has considered, with General Corbin and Inspector-General Brockbridge, the important question of following up the army in the Philippines with sufficient supplies, when it begins operations, which must be from several bases. As at present advised, the dependence of the army will be on the mule pack train. It is estimated that in the neighborhood of 4,000 mules will be necessary for the service, and all of them must be transported from the United States—a tremendous problem. Quartermaster General Ludington has been instructed to solve it, and he has guaranteed that it will be done. Transportation has already been secured for 800, and 600 are on the way to Manila.

A high military authority says that Secretary Root has concluded that the best plan for the 16,672 volunteers still available out of the 35,000 provided for by the reorganization act is in the Philippines.

The primary use for the thirteen regiments, excepting the one regiment of cavalry, is understood to be garrisoning of towns. It was stated, however, that with the whole force of 35,000 in the Philippines it would be possible to relieve with the new regiments from time to time troops which have been long at the front, thus giving the volunteers active service.

One Big Canal Bill.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 16.—State Controller Morgan has given notice that he proposes to withhold payment of a bill of \$133,731 presented by McDonald & Smyre, contractors, who have been employed in the work of improving the Erie Canal. The work was to be done on what is known as the middle division of the waterway. It is alleged by the Controller that in order to comply with the terms of the contract the employees of the firm hauled materials along two sides of a triangle so as to remove the material a distance of one thousand feet. This method of hauling supplies is alleged to have been wholly unnecessary.

The Perot Case Closed.

London, Aug. 16.—Mrs. Perot came into court accompanied by her sister and daughter and her sureties, Sir Charles Evan-Smith and Capt. Blood. Mr. Lawrence represented the accused. Mr. Newton Crane, counsel for the prosecution, after consultation with Mr. Lawrence, applied for an adjournment for a week, the United States Embassy offering no objection. Mr. Lawrence agreed to this. The parties have now agreed that the child, Gladys Perot, be returned to her grandfather under a writ of habeas corpus, and that the extradition proceedings shall not be proceeded with.

Brooke Called to Consult Root.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Gen. Brooke will be called to Washington to consult with Secretary Root concerning affairs in Cuba. The Secretary desires to have the benefit of General Brooke's knowledge of the condition of things in the island before he reaches any definite conclusions as to a future policy for Cuba. No date has been fixed for General Brooke's visit, but it will be determined, no doubt, by the developments of the situation and before the Secretary begins his annual report to the President.

The Jersey Lily Married.

London, Aug. 16.—The London Phoenix says that Mrs. Langtry was married in the island of Jersey on July 27 to Hugo Gerold De Bathe, son of Sir Henry Percival De Bathe. The ceremony was strictly private. The paper asserts that the bride received the congratulations of the Prince of Wales, and adds that the marriage will not interfere with the production of Sydney Grundy's new play at the Haymarket Theatre, in which Mrs. Langtry was announced to appear.

Death Roll in Cuba.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Gen. Brooke cables the following death report in Cuba:

"Sergt. Charles R. Peck, B. first infantry, typhoid. Holguin; Minyan Arington, T. tenth cavalry, Aug. 10, pneumonia."

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1899.

Explorers in North Dakota have discovered a cave seven miles long. It isn't half so imposing as the cave in the populist party in that state.

Among other things, the re-trial of Dreyfus is clearly disclosing the farthest advance of perjury as a fine art, and of forgery as a science.

Long before the West Indian hurricane could reach the United States notice was given and due preparations made. The weather bureau is a great institution.

An old English law prevents W. W. Astor's elevation to the peerage, but he can prove that his brilliancy would never exclude him from the quiet atmosphere of the house of lords.

A Chinese town harboring pirates that robbed a British ship has been shelled out of existence by British cannon. Mr. Bull has a decided way about him that is useful in the Orient.

The thousands of recruits coming forward to serve their country have done much already to discourage Aguinaldo. His budget of news from the United States has been highly unsatisfactory of late.

Aguinaldo assures his followers that the present American administration will soon be overthrown. He can't persuade his Boston sympathizers to take any such rosy views of the situation, however.

According to Lieut. Kehrl, of the German navy, who is now traveling in this country, it was Dewey, and not Yor Diederichs, that backed down at Manila. The marines of both fleets will enjoy this story immensely.

If events in France continue as they are going now it will soon be time for another batch of military suicides "for the honor of the army." That appears to be the only way out for certain distinguished villains whose names have developed in the Dreyfus case.

General Mercier, the French ex-minister of war, who, before taking the witness stand to testify against Dreyfus, announced that he would convict the latter in less than no time, succeeded merely in convicting himself. The only doubt in France concerning him is whether he is a monumental knave or a first-prize fool.

All accounts show that the opening of the democratic campaign in Kentucky last Saturday was an extremely sultry affair, Goebel, the nominee for governor, and Mr. Suttle, one of his chief supporters, having fainted on the platform while addressing mass meetings. Thus it appears at the very outset that the contest is bound to be a heated one.

His Poor Aim.
He grasped her around the waist and tried to kiss her. They romped through the room, upsetting chairs and bric-a-brac, and she giggled and he flushed.

At last, fearing that his strength was about to give out, she almost stood still, and he gave her a smack.
Then an angry frown overspread her beautiful countenance, as she faced him, saying:
"Oh, you Spaniard!"
"Why do you call me that?" he asked.
"You would have missed me altogether if my ear hadn't been there!" he hissed.

After that he knew his chances were exceedingly slim.—Cleveland Leader.

Just as Represented.
"I thought you said this property was only a couple of steps from the Post Office," said the prospective buyer.
"It is," responded the ever-resourceful real estate agent. "You step or an electric car here and step off at the Post Office. That's only two steps. See? Ohio State Journal."

BY TELEGRAPH.

GOOD RACING AT GLEN FALLS.

GLEN FALLS, N. Y., Aug. 16.—The second day of the grand circuit meet was marked by fast racing. The attendance was over 5000.

The 2:28 class trot, purse of \$2000, was won by Paul Fry, by taking the second, fourth and fifth heats. Best time, 2:11.4.

The 2:04 class, pace, purse \$2000, was won by Anaconda, in three straight heats, with Frank Bogash second. Best time, 2:04.1.

The 2:24 class, trot, purse \$1500, was won by Owyhee, in three straight heats. Best time, 2:11.2.

The 2:15 class, pace, purse \$1500, was won by Blaze Boy, who took the second, third and fourth heats. Best time, 2:10.4.

The 2:30 class, trot, purse \$1500, was won by Betty Hamlin, with Lenora second. There were but two heats and two starters in this race. Best time, 2:31.2.

THE RACES AT PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, ME., Aug. 16.—The races here today were of an unusually interesting character.

The 2:25 class, trot, stake of \$1000, was won by Kingmond, d. g., by King Darlington, Rosamond, by Red Wilkes, driven by Tom Marsh, in three straight heats, Miss Pratt second, Arthur Cleve-

land third. Time, 2:16.3-4, 2:14.1-2, 2:15.1-2.

The 2:17 class, pace, stake of \$1000, was won by Mazette, by taking the second, third and fifth heats. Journeyman second, Doctor L. third. Best time, 2:10.3-4.

The 2:13 class, pace, stake of \$1000, was won by Dombey, Jr., in three straight heats. Best time, 2:11.4.

BASE BALL.

The following is the result of the National league base ball games played yesterday:

Washington 5, Pittsburg 7; at Washington.

Boston 0, Louisville 3; Boston 12, Louisville 5; at Boston.

Brooklyn 13, Cleveland 2; at Brooklyn.

Baltimore 6, Chicago 1; at Baltimore.

New York 7, Cincinnati 2; at New York.

Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 4; at Philadelphia.

Manchester 18, Taunton 1; at Manchester.

JOHN R. GENTRY WINS TWO HEATS.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 16.—John R. Gentry won the first heat of the \$3000 matched race between Gentry, Joe Patchen and Searchlight here this afternoon by a head; Joe Patchen was second; time, 2:03.1-2. Gentry won the second heat, and Joe Patchen was second; time, 2:04.1-4.

DOMINICAN INSURGENTS CAPTURED.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Aug. 16.—The military authorities yesterday captured at Baracoa General Guero, the Dominican insurgent, and thirty men, together with 140 stands of arms and 18,000 rounds of ammunition, aboard the steamer Montero, bound from Havana.

RETREATED WITH MANY WOUNDED.

MANILA, Aug. 16.—Major Kirkman, on entering Santa Maria and Depanay with a reconnoitering party, learned that after the fight with the insurgents about 380 of them retreated carrying many wounded, including five officers.

RACE TROUBLE IMMINENT.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Aug. 16.—Five highly respected white women were brutally assaulted by negroes in this city today. Great excitement prevails and race trouble of a serious character is imminent.

SATISFACTORILY ARRANGED.

Boston, Aug. 16.—A satisfactory agreement was reached today between the officers of the Boston & Maine railroad and their employees, and the threatened strike will not take place.

THE TRANSPORT WARREN ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—The United States transport Warren, having on board the Colorado regiment, passed in the Golden Gate at five o'clock this evening.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Forecast for New England: Generally fair Thurs day, slowly rising temperature, variable winds.

THE ISLAND OF ANDROS SUFFERS.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., Aug. 16.—Advices received here state that the West Indian hurricane visited the island of Andros, of the Bahama group, inflicting great damage to property and completely wrecking the sailing fleet. It is said that 150 bodies were washed ashore.

MEDALS AWARDED.

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—The medals authorized by the United States government in recognition of service rendered by the men who cut the cable at Cienfuegos during the late war, were awarded to twenty men aboard the U. S. S. Nashville at Charlestown today.

FRED E. WHITE FOR GOVERNOR

DES MOINES, IOWA, Aug. 16.—The democratic state convention today nominated Fred E. White for governor and M. L. Bevis for lieutenant governor. The populist also met today and endorsed the ticket. The Chicago platform was endorsed in its entirety.

TERRIFIC GALES IN CHILE.

VALPARAISO, CHILE, Aug. 16.—The terrific gales and heavy floods continue. Near Santiago de Chile a train fell into the river from a railroad bridge and fifty persons were drowned. A house was washed away here and its nine occupants were drowned.

URGES THEM TO REMAIN IN PORTUGAL.

MADRID, Aug. 16.—The Spanish government urges all Spaniards now in Portugal to remain there, with a view of preventing the propagation of the plague in Spain.

WILL USE THE PANTHER.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The auxiliary cruiser Panther has been temporarily transferred to the war department for use in the transportation of relief supplies to Porto Rico.

LIKELY TO BE FRUITLESS.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—This evening it appears as if the efforts of M. Lasies to arrange for the capitulation of M. Guerin are likely to be fruitless.

LOTS OF GOLD DUST.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 16.—The steamer Cutch arrived from the Klondike last night with 100 miners on board. The ships brings \$350,000 in gold dust.

VISITED THE TEXAS.

BELFAST, ME., Aug. 16.—Hundreds of people visited the battleship Texas here today. Capt. Sigbee and officers will be the guests of Senator Frye tomorrow.

Bryan at Des Moines.

DES MOINES, Aug. 16.—William Jennings Bryan is acting in the capacity of peace-maker in the Iowa Democratic ranks, and his utterances in Des Moines have indicated a disposition on his part to bury the hatchet and unite with the single standard men in a full campaign against expansion and the trusts. In a conference with the Democratic leaders he said he did not care to write the Iowa platform, but would be content with the declaration of the party if it gave but a simple endorsement to the Chicago platform.

A Robber Army.

CANTON, Aug. 16.—Fifty hundred soldiers were surrounded at Cobkon, on the West River, by 10,000 robbers, and a desperate fight occurred, ending in a victory for the robbers, who have hoisted their flags upon all commanding points and occupies the villages in the vicinity. Two hundred and fifty soldiers were killed and 100 wounded. Two thousand more troops have left Canton.

Transvaal Inquiry.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—A cable dispatch from Cape Town says that forty members of the Cape Assembly joined in sending a telegram to President Kruger, urging him to accept the proposal for a joint commission to inquire into the differences between the Boers and the Uitlanders. This disposes of the rumors that Cape Ministry had counseled resistance to the Boers.

Many Lost on the Resolute.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—A despatch from Calcutta says that the surveying steamer Resolute, which was sunk in collision with the British India Company's steamship Scindia, had on board half a dozen European officers and a crew of sixty natives. Three of the officers and a few of the natives were saved.

Greenport Boat Builder Dead.

GREENPORT, L. I., Aug. 16.—Charles T. Jackson dropped dead on the front porch of his house on Bay avenue. Mr. Jackson was a well known boat builder, having built many swift boats for New York and Brooklyn men.

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley street, Sanger, N. Y.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobbs' Spanish Pills cure all kidney trouble. 25c. Sold by all druggists.

MOTHS ATE THE ROOF.

The Timbers in Winchester Cathedral Were Decayed.

Winchester Cathedral is one of the old glories of England, situated in Winchester, the birthplace of Alfred the Great, whose thousandth anniversary is soon to be celebrated there. Architects and builders have just completed their three-years' work of repairing the roof of the old cathedral and giving it a general overhauling. The repairs were needed badly, for the ancient timber work was decayed and the stone rafting of the nave underneath was in a dangerous condition.

When the workmen started in to repair the roof the curious discovery was made that the old timbers were greatly decayed by the action of worms. The insect causing the havoc is known as the Sirex gigas. Sirex penetrates its mischief in the grub state, and eats away the timber until it is like honey-combed. Several of the grubs were captured during the work and also a chrysalis, which developed into an insect one and three-quarter inches long, of the wasp shape, with a long ovipositor for which the hole for the eggs is bored in the wood.

The vast timbers of the roof were found to be, in all probability, the original Norman roof, with later work and improvements of the fifteenth century. In strengthening the tie-beams it was found necessary to remove the old ones, and, owing to the difficulty in obtaining English oak nowadays of sufficient length and size (each 45 feet long and 12 inches wide and 20 inches deep), the beams had to be "made in Germany"—they came from Stettin.

While the work among the old timbers was going on the "pockets" formed by the grubbed work were cleaned out, and their contents examined before being carted away. Fifty cartloads of rubbish were removed from the roof. In it were found a pair of monk's shoes of the fifteenth century, some fragments of stained glass of the same date, an ancient knife, the mummies of a swallow and bat, a piece of slate inscribed with curious writing characters, apparently of the seventeenth century, a tobacco pipe, a cross-bow bolt and a pair of ancient nut-crackers—a strange museum of relics.

The First "Mysterious Dave."

Dave Rodebaugh was the man who was best entitled to the sobriquet of "Mysterious Dave," which has been wrongly applied to Dave Mathes. Rodebaugh's advent to the circle of famous western characters was unhindered, but in no wise lacking in brilliancy. It was at Great Bend, Kan., in the early '70s that one Frank Whitfield, who, by reason of his former habitations known as "Pecos Frank," was one day amusing himself by shooting up the town. His crowning feature of devilry was to cause the bartender of the home saloon to kneel with a glass full of beer upon his head and to shatter the glass with a bullet from his revolver, fired from the opposite side of the room. Much amused at the beer-splattered bartender, Frank proceeded to execute a dance of approval. He was recalled to the bare surroundings by the sharp command:

"Drop it, pardner, and shove yer hands. I've got ye covered."

Frank turned to look into the muzzle of a six-shooter in the hand of a little red-headed man with a thin, red beard, says Chicago Inter-Ocean. Frank's hands went up very high, and the strange man ordered him to kneel with his face to the wall, which order was obeyed, and following the red-headed man's directions the bartender placed a glass of beer upon his head. The strange man then stepped against the wall opposite and with a shot from his revolver smashed the glass in the same manner that his victim had done so recently for the bartender. After doing this the stranger backed out of the saloon, mounted his pony, which had been left standing in front, and rode leisurely out of the town.

No one could be found who knew him and he was not seen again for some time. His next appearance was in the thick of a street and saloon fight, in which he contributed two men to Great Bend's boot hill. His appearance and departure were as mysterious as the first, and he was "The Mystery."

Not long after the incident last related he killed a fair dealer, whose gun caught in the scabbard, and was arrested. Although acquitted, the inquiry disclosed that his name was Dave Rodebaugh, and he was afterward known as "Mysterious Dave." After Mathes received the title "Mysterious" they were distinguished by the addition of their family names. In Mathes's case the name was not a true one. Just here it may be stated that Mathes was a native of Ohio, his family being one of the most prominent of the State, and that he was educated at the Ohio Wesleyan University. The writer knows his strange disappearance from his parents in New Mexico were caused by visits to that State. One was upon the death of his father and the other to attend the marriage of his youngest sister.

New Facts About Beautiful Snow.

That eminent medical authority, the Lancet, has just discovered that snow-water will penetrate the ordinary boot and that the only sure way to prevent this is to grease the boot. The ancient and honorable custom of the Yankee farmer is set forth in the Lancet fully and scientifically, and its news to no one. But some of the Lancet's remarks upon "beautiful snow" may be new.

It is stated that few actions of nature clear and purify the air as does a fall of snow. An analysis of newly-fallen snow shows an enormous percentage of organic impurities and bacteria. These have been swept out of the air by the falling flakes, leaving the atmosphere very pure and wholesome. Again there is so much friction engendered by snow flakes dropping through the air that it gives rise to the formation of ozone. It is stated that so much ozone is formed by the descending flakes that to those familiar with it there is a marked smell of that element in the air after a snowstorm.

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The Famous Pirate Who Held the Whole Sea at His Command.

ONE SHIP THAT HE LOST

How His Plans Were Completely Foiled by the Elements in Corpus Christi Bay.

The Sailors of the Ship He Was in Pursuit of Sailed Behind Mustang Island, and After a Long Fight, Scuttled Their Ship and Swam Ashore.

As far back as the memory of men still living goes the hull of an old ship has been seen in Corpus Christi Bay on the west side of Mustang Island off the coast of Texas. When the wind blew from the shore and forced the waters of the bay through the Pass Cavallo and Pass Corpus Christi enough of the wreck could be seen fifty years ago to enable a sailor to make out a good deal about the old ship. Sea dogs said that she had been a swift sailor, and that she had carried cannon, and some of them would shake



PIRATE SHIP AND SPANISH GALLEON. Their heads and limbs that they had serious doubts concerning her good character and her business in these shallow waters when she met her doom. A dozen or more small fishermen said they have seen gold enough taken from the wreck to sink a fishing smack.

An enormous amount of treasure has been taken from the old wreck by the crew of a strange craft that visited the bay a short time ago. The stranger was a trim little steam yacht, plentifully supplied with bright flags and streamers, upon many of the latter was the word "Veloce." The treasure hunter took a notion to show her heels to several fast fishing smacks.

The wrecked ship was a Spanish galleon that had sailed in 1820 from Matanzas loaded with treasure. Her name was Senada. Lafitte was at that time on Galveston Island. He was at peace with all the world except Spain. He had letters of marque and reprisal from Venezuela against his old enemy, and he never lost an opportunity to capture the richly laden galleons that sailed from the ports of Old Mexico. He had set up a republic on Galveston Island and gathered about him at least 1,000 of the most desperate characters that ever cut a throat or scuttled a ship. He owned a fleet of twenty swift sailing vessels, and with these he rapidly drove the commerce of Spain from the southern seas. Tomas Vasquez was a spy in the service of the great pirate, and he happened to witness the loading of the rich cargo on the Senada. He learned that a revenue officer was returning to Spain with more than \$1,000,000 in gold for his sovereign, and he saw a long train of barros loaded with silver bars arrive at the pier. This belonged to a rich old miner, whom a political condition had scared away from the interior. Tomas calculated that the Senada would sail away from the coast of Mexico with little less than \$2,000,000 in gold and silver bars beneath her decks, and he lost no time in carrying the news to his chief.

When Lafitte was informed of the rich prize that was being prepared to sail almost within sight of his island, he at once dispatched three vessels to capture her. He would doubtless have commanded the expedition in person, but the American Commissioner had just arrived at the island with instructions to warn the pirate to leave the waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

Tomas Vasquez sailed with the pirates, and he says they first sighted the Senada off the southern coast of Padre Island. The pirates at once spread all sails and pursued the rich prize. The captain of the Senada immediately recognized the character of his pursuers at a glance, and, realizing that the pirates with the fast-sailing ship would easily overhaul him in a short time, he tracked and ran through Pass Corpus Christi into Corpus Christi Bay, behind Mustang Island. On the southern coast of Padre Island, the pirates' fleet were able to follow the Senada on account of the shoal water in the pass. The Spanish vessel barely slipped into the bay without grounding, and sailed north. The pirates soon came up with her, and a desperate battle ensued. The Senada's crew fought with the courage of despair, and after the masts of their vessel had been shot away they jumped overboard and swam ashore.

Tomas thinks that they scuttled their ship, for he says that she sank out of sight quickly. The pirates were so enraged over the loss of the rich prize that they ran close to shore and sent showers of grapeshot after the escaping crew. They sailed back to Galveston Island, with the intention of returning and raising the prize or recouping the treasure with the smaller vessels of the pirates' fleet, but their chief had become so much alarmed at the warning given him by the envoy of the United States that he abandoned the island and sailed away to other seas.

Slow Progress. "Dot man," said the bartender, pointing to a customer who was going out of the door, "has been in this country fourteen weeks, and all he can say in his American language is 'ein glass beer!'"—Chicago Tribune.

ENGLISH STATIONS.

Also the Country Through Which the Trains Pass.

The ways whereby London is reached by those in whose eyes we could wish the mere country to look well are chiefly three: by Liverpool, by Southampton, and—if the American tourist is making England the last point of a European ramble—by Dover, says Collier's Weekly. Between Liverpool and London lie four hours of small fields, small hills, small villages, and here and there enormous towns. But everywhere, as on every line, from the railway carriage is to be seen chiefly that kind of building which is the railway order of architecture. At every station, however small and rustic, are grouped the most squalid of all modern houses, built of yellow brick and roofed with this blue slate, with their tavern in the midst. From the north to the south, and from the German Ocean to the Atlantic, the English railway architecture is invariable. And this is chiefly why a traveler ought not to be content with a journey on a line of railway. But a little way from every station the yellow brick disappears, the slate roof is no more seen; the farms are hooded in their thatch, the cottages rudely covered in with tiles that slip at wind with age, and make velvet shadows in the sun. It is no small humiliation to an Englishman to know that the dusky-red and warm-white villages are there, but that nothing is to be seen except squalid yellow brick and slates that look as this as paper.

Londonward from Dover is one of the most smoky journeys in the south of England, but there is the best cultivated land in England, here the little green grass fields stop for a time, and the croft and the fruit gardens are in bloom.

If the American would indulge us, he would go away upon the country roads: would not see any more of the Thames than suburban Richmond can show him; would sail the little Dart in the south; would pace the sands of the north-west coast under the castled walls and battlements of Holy Isle, where there are millions of sea birds nesting on the ledges; would walk the wild-flowers of the chalk; would follow the trout streams in Cornwall. For even at Stratford upon Avon stands—more conspicuous than the little houses of pilgrimage—the universal railway station, with its unalterable circumstance.

Secret of Longevity. Dr. Romualdo J. Curtiss, of Joliet, Ill., an eminent authority and writer on bacteriology, who formerly held the chair of this science in the Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons, has written an open letter to Andrew Carnegie in which he states that if the human being adapts his environment of his life and the possibility of his organization, he can live 1,000 years. The secret of long life is the destruction of parasitism, and that the establishment of an institution for the teaching of hygiene would require \$50,000,000, but would be the greatest investment made for human welfare since the birth of Christianity. Further, he invites Mr. Carnegie to supply the necessary money and so become the world's greatest benefactor to mankind. Dr. Curtiss writes in part:

"The average longevity is from twenty-five to thirty years, and the average death rate is twenty-two per thousand. One person in a million lives to be 100 years old."

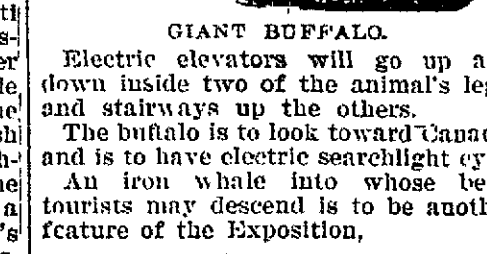
"It is a scientific truth that parasitism is the cause of death. Therefore the absolute destruction of parasitism can increase the duration of life to 1,000 years."

"The whole tendency and custom of the world is to shorten life. Latterly a new energy of the most powerful proportions is at work to slide the scale of hereditary days a notch further toward lunacy. This is the custom of employing only young men and discharging all burdens at their young age. This force alone will in a hundred years from now will be in their prime at twenty-five and unfit at forty."

"Andrew Carnegie can do this work. It will require \$50,000,000."

An Artificial Buffalo. A buffalo two hundred feet high is to be built in Buffalo, on the Niagara frontier, at the Pan-American Exposition. It is to be inhabited, although artificial.

In the part where the brains ought to exist there is to be a restaurant, and in the body of the animal a vaudeville theatre with a capacity of 2,000.



GIANT BUFFALO. Electric elevators will go up and down inside two of the animal's legs, and stairways up the others. The buffalo is to look toward Canada, and is to have electric searchlight eyes. An iron whale into whose belly tourists may descend is to be another feature of the Exposition.

A Family Trait. Frayley-Ty says that Shuter is the bravest soldier in the regiment. Davis—I suppose heredity accounts for that.

Frailty—I don't see why it should. Davis—Well, his father is always the first to put on a straw hat and his mother wears her spring bonnets clear into August.

Surprised the Old Man. "Sir," said the young man to the father of the prettiest girl, "Maude and I are two souls with but a single thought."

"Young man," was the reply, "you surprise me. I would never have given you credit for even one idea."

Wisdom. Robby—How did the Sphinx get the credit of being so wise, papa? Mr. Morris—By keeping his mouth shut for three thousand years.—Tit-Bits.

THE MURDER OF G. GATES.

Alexander Jester Has Been Arrested for a Crime Committed in 1871.

WAS KNOWN AS W. A. HILL

His Sister Who Caused His Arrest Was the Sweetheart of the Murdered Man.

Jester is Now an Old Man, of Eighty-one Years Whose Life, Since His Crime Has Been Filled With Doing Good and Helping Others—Object of the Murder.

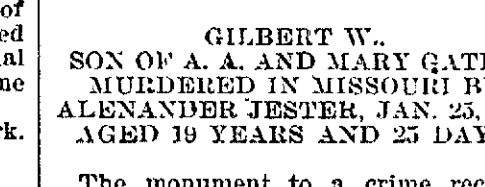
Fiction presents no stranger story than that which surrounds the life of Alexander Jester, arrested recently for the murder of Gilbert Gates, more than twenty-eight years ago. Here is an old man, silvered with the frost of eighty-one years, whose declining days have been devoted to kindly deeds and preaching the Gospel, suddenly denounced by his own sister as a murderer and dragged into the shadow of the gallows.

It is the story of a tireless detective chase in which the wealth of a trust magnate, the murdered man's brother, was poured in by thousands of dollars. And underlying all and furnishing the motive which led to the unmasking and arrest of the fugitive. It is the story of the murder of a pretty girl's sweetheart by her brother, the secret of the body under the ice of the swift-flowing river, where it was lost forever.

Then followed a heart-breaking chase from place to place across rough and wild country and the final capture of the fugitive, with the personal property of his victim to accuse him.

Armed men intent on lynching were foiled of their purpose and the murderer eluded them. Then he daringly broke jail and, eluding pursuit led by bloodhounds, escaped and baffled further search as though he were no more. And in fact he was dead. Away in a far corner of the Indian Territory Alexander Jester was buried and W. A. Hill came into life.

He began to build by his good works a monument to his kindness of heart and the Christian spirit which apparently actuated all that he did. He was loved and respected.



ALEXANDER JESTER. In West Chicago there was reared a monument among the dead which marked not the resting of him who it told, but was put there to perpetuate the memory of the crime which filled the life of the fugitive with the torture of remorse and bleached his hair and beard as white as the snow on the wintry trails. The inscription on the shaft read:

GILBERT W. SON OF A. A. AND MARY GATES, MURDERED IN MISSOURI BY ALEXANDER JESTER, JAN. 25, '71; AGED 39 YEARS AND 25 DAYS.

The monument to a crime recalls, too, the vision that came to the mother of the murdered youth on the very night he was slain. She started from a troubled dream so vivid that it seemed actual and she herself dreamed while yet awake. She was at a funeral and stepping to the coffin looked at the dead. It was her son Gilbert. No word had been received from him for some time and it was this dream that led to the discovery of the murder.

And while the Providence that hedges in a mother's heart led to the awful discovery, it was the heart of a woman once loved by the slain that, awakened to fire after long years, sacrificed her own brother to the memory of the dead. Cornelia Jester it was, now the widow of another, who said the word which placed her venerable brother in jeopardy of his life.

A Country With One Policeman. There is one country in the world, and probably only one, which gets along with a single policeman; that is Iceland. Iceland is peopled by the descendants of Vikings, including many famous warriors and heroes, but they are so law-abiding that there is no need of policemen. The solitary officer, in spite of his great responsibility, has a very easy time. He is maintained more for ornament and dignity than for use. The Icelanders think it would not do to have a capital without a policeman, and so they keep one.

The police force is large in one sense. Its member is six feet high, broad shouldered and handsomely uniformed.—The Green Bag.

She Didn't Know. "Take away woman and what would follow?" asked the vinegar-faced female who was lecturing on the rights of women. Poor thing, had she been a plain, unobtrusive womanly woman she would know without asking that man would follow.—Chicago News.

An Immune. "Do you think," said he, "that one can live in New York and be absolutely ignorant of the ways of this wicked world?"

"No," answered Miss Cayenne, "not unless he happens to be chief of police or something like that."

PHOTOGRAPHS OF BIRDS

The Experiences of a Daring English Naturalist.

The extreme difficulty of photographing wild birds that build their nests on cliffs is aptly shown in the illustrations which accompany this article. The first thing necessary in searching for such nests is to find out the exact location of one by first sighting out its position and this can be done by firing off a revolver or blowing a whistle close to the edge of the cliff. Care must be taken not to go too near the edge of the cliff and not to walk out to any overhanging piece of rock that might by chance give way. Indeed, it is the part of wisdom, even when engaged in preliminary investigations, to have one end of a guide rope tied around one's waist. This helps confidence in the naturalist and enables him to obtain a better view of the yawning abyss below him.

An excellent authority on this subject is Richard Kearton, F. Z. S., author of a book entitled, "Wild Life at Home," recently published by Cassell & Co. According to him, after a nest has been located the next thing to do is to drive a fairly stout crowbar into the ground at the top of the cliff from eight to twelve inches according to circumstances. The crowbar should



WRING WAY. RIGHT WAY. Seem backward—that is away from the head of the cliff—and to it the rope guide should be securely tied. To pay out, and haul in the rope there should be two strong, cool-headed men, who would not be frightened by the wild, almost human, cry of a sea bird and take it to be a wail of distress from the photographer dangling from the rope a hundred feet below.

Mr. Kearton shows the wrong and the right way to begin the descent of a cliff. The novice usually instinctively clutches the rough edges of the rock as he begins his descent, and the result is the skidding of his knees and elbows. The climber who is skilful and knows his business steps boldly out over the edge of the cliff, trusting to the stout Manila ropes and the men who are attending to them. But even then he must look out sharply for himself and avoid swinging against overhanging crags. At times he must walk down the face of the cliff, and if he is wearing boots his feet may slip out, causing his body to be dashed against the rocks. Not long ago a cliff climber in the Shetland Isles was killed in that way.

Mr. Kearton and his brother have climbed and descended the steepest and most inaccessible cliffs in all parts of the British Isles, successfully photographing eagles, falcons, ravens and hooded crows. Some of their hardest work has been done in getting pictures of slugs, puffins and kittiwakes. They have had good luck in the famous Noup of Angus, the most northern point in the British Isles, in the Shetland Islands as well as on Muckle Islands, where there are a few fulmar petrels, a very rare and shy bird. Some idea of the daring of Richard Kearton may be had from the fact that the first time he put on the climbing ropes he went down an overhanging crag seventy feet deep.

To Renew Life. A discovery which, it is claimed, solves the problem of circumventing old age, has just been made public by Prof. Joseph R. Hawley and Alex. C. Weiner, of the Chicago Clinical School. The return to youth, it is asserted, is produced by hypodermic injection of the lymphatic fluid of animals, particularly young goats. The discovery was made a year ago, and subsequent secret demonstrations of its efficiency are being made.

The general theory of the discovery is that if the mineral deposits which accumulate in the bones in the process of life can be replaced with the "life cells" contained in the lymphatic glands of goats, deterioration of the bone will be prevented and elasticity and youth will be retained in the system much longer. In one of his experiments at the Chicago School Dr. Hawley administered hypodermic injections of the fluid of the lymphatic glands of a goat to a dog known to be fourteen years old.

A diagnosis of a portion of the femur before the injection showed the bone contained large deposits of phosphate, carbonate and soda. The dog was watched carefully for two months, during which frequent injections of the lymph compound were made. At the end of that time another diagnosis showed the larger part of the mineral deposit had been removed and the animal was as lively as a puppy.

A number of human beings, it is said, in the same way and with the same results have been experimented on in Chicago.

The apostles of the discovery do not claim that a man or woman that charged with germs "life cells" will live forever, but they say life will be prolonged, perhaps doubled.

Who Warned Him. He—I knew you would make a fuss if I tried to kiss you. She—How did you know? He—I had been warned.—Detroit Free Press.

Makes One Tired. "Your friend has a wonderful mental jump."

"He has," was the weary answer. "He thinks he owns the earth."—Washington Star.

A STRANGE SEA WORM.

Delicacy Attainable For Only a Few Moments Each Year.

THINK IT VERY EDIBLE.

It Is One of the Most Curious Little Annelid Worms and It Is Called the Palolo Viridis.

It Hides Itself Away in the Coral Reefs, and Only Comes Up to the Surface Once or Twice in a Year, and Then Only For a Moment at a Time.

The history of the curious little annelid worm, Palolo viridis, of the Sannia Islands, in its development, exhibits one of the most wonderful phases of life in the sea. The phenomenon for which this sea worm is noted is its regular appearance in myriads, on the surface of the sea, for a few minutes only on one or two days of the year. This swarming of palolos occur in the vicinity of the coral reefs, and take place at the dawn of the day at the time of the moon's last quarter, in the months of October and November.

Naturalists, in describing them to the scientific societies, were entirely in the dark as to the character of the creature's head. Subsequent observations, however, resulted in the discovery of perfect specimens or of fragments with heads attached.

The life story of the palolo shows that this appearance of headless bodies on the surface of the sea has reference to its peculiar breeding habits. It dwells in the mists of the coral reefs; and when the spawning season arrives the bodies of the males and the females break away from their heads and rise in countless numbers to the surface of the water. The sea then presents a view of countless inches below the surface the wriggling mass of green and brown worms.

The natives of Sannia hold the palolo in high esteem as a toothsome edible. For days before the certain appearance of the worm there is great excitement among the natives and much making ready of canoes for the coming catch. When the proper time arrives the whole population, man woman and child, makes its way in canoes by the faint light of the waning moon, to the locality where the palolo occurs. Here the natives wait for the dawn of day, at which the palolos rise to the surface, but only a few minutes before and after sunrise. The eager natives gather them quickly and in immense numbers, return to the shore to feast and to dispatch presents of palolos to distant relatives, whose regions are not favored by the visit of this tidbit.

The palolo is from one inch to eighteen inches long and about one-eighth to one-quarter of an inch in thickness. The head is slightly narrower than the body. The body is fringed with a row of hairs on each side, the hairs gathered in clusters, two clusters, one on each side, of each segment of the body. The posterior extremity tapers, and is armed with four bristled, which are in two pairs, one pair very much longer than the other. The worm has been described in the Proceedings of the Zoological Society of London by the Rev. S. J. Whitmore, as "moving rapidly with considerable elegance in a spiral manner like a screw," and that they "looked like the tendrils of a twining plant."

Temperature and Sex. Many experiments have been made recently to determine the influence of temperature on the sex of offspring. The results seem to indicate that a high temperature is favorable to the production of females. This is notably the case with horses, and many confirmations of the theory have been drawn from the lower type of animals.

Now the French naturalist, M. Molliard, has discovered that the same law governs the vegetable kingdom—or, at least, the one species with which he experimented.

Of plants raised from seed sown on April 18, 1896, 86 per cent were males, while seed sown June 25 produced plants almost exclusively (99 per cent) females. The average temperature experienced by the first group was 12 degrees Centigrade, while the second was exposed to a mean temperature of 13 degrees Centigrade. Soil and conditions were the same in both cases.

Beware of Bright Plate. Users of metal-polishing powders must beware what they use for brightening their electro-plated or silver metal, such spoons, forks, etc. The British Food Journal publishes the results of an examination by Dr. Van Hamel Roos, of Amsterdam, of a metal-polishing powder used largely in Holland, and no doubt elsewhere, that is calculated to cause meanness. The powder is of a reddish color, and contains mercury in considerable quantity. The plate on which it is employed is, after use, covered with a brilliant layer of mercury, the poisonous effects of which, when the articles are used for the table purposes, hardly needs insisting on. Let housewives, therefore, look to their plate powder.—London Chronicle.

A Nine-Footer's Bones. Relics of a prehistoric age have been brought to light in Noble County. The find is in York Township where workmen excavating for a public highway found the skeleton of an inhabitant of early days. The bones indicated that the person was fully nine feet tall.

The bones are unusually large and the position of the skeleton when found indicated that the person had been buried in a sitting position. The belief is advanced that the remains are those of a mound builder.

The Dead of the War. The official report of loss of life in the army during the Spanish war places the total number of dead at 5,731. The statement which refers to the period between May 1, 1898, and Feb. 28, 1899, says that 320 soldiers were killed in action, 325 died from wounds received, while 6,277 deaths were caused by disease due to climate, exposure and poor rations.

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Leave Town Landing, Newcastle, 8.35 10.50 a. m., 1.20, 3.20, 5.50 p. m.

Leave Kittery Point, 8.40, 10.55 a. m., 1.25, 3.25, 5.55 p. m.

Arrive at Gerrish Island, 9.00, 11.15 a. m., 1.45, 3.45, 6.00 p. m.

UP.

Leave Government Pier, Gerrish Island, 9.00, 11.15 a. m., 1.45, 3.45, 6.00 p. m.

Leave Kittery Point, 9.15, 11.30 a. m., 2.00, 4.00, 6.10 p. m.

Leave Town Landing, Newcastle, 9.20 11.35 a. m., 2.05, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.

Arrive at Portsmouth, 9.40 a. m., 12.00 m., 2.25, 4.25, 6.40 p. m.

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SEASON OF 1899.

TIME TABLE

Commencing June 24, 1899.

Portsmouth and Isles of Shoals STEAMER VIKING.

LEAVES PORTSMOUTH, wharf foot of Deer street, for Isles of Shoals, at 8.10 and 11.20 a. m. and 5.40 p. m. Sundays at 10.45 a. m. and 5.00 p. m.

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Arrangements for Parties can be made on the wharf or with Wm. Gertling, General Manager.

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TIME TABLE.

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Steamer Columbia leaves Fernald's wharf (near AppleDore wharf) for Greenacres at:

8:00 A. M.
11:30 "
2:45 P. M.
5:30 "

For Pocahontas, Kittery Point and Newcastle, at:

8:45 A. M.
12:15 P. M.
3:35 "
5:55 "

*25 cents for the round trip.

SUNDAY TRIPS ONLY.

Leave Pocahontas at 9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m.; returning to Pocahontas at 12.15 noon and 5.50 p. m. Leave landing for Greenacres at 10.30 a. m. and 8.00 p. m.; returning, leave Greenacres at 11.00 a. m. and 5.00 p. m.

Fare 25 cents from Fernald's landing to Greenacres and return.

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EASTERN DIVISION

Summer Arrangement, June 24, 1899.

Trains Leave Portsmouth.
For BOSTON, 8.50, 7.30, 7.35, 8.15, 10.55 11.05 a. m., 1.35, 2.21, 3.05, 5.00 6.35, 7.23 p. m. Sundays, 8.50, 8.00 a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m.
For PORTLAND, 8.55, 10.45 a. m., 2.15 5.22, 8.50, 11.20 p. m. Sundays, 8.00, 10.45 a. m., 5.50, 11.20 p. m.
For OLD ORCHARD and PORTLAND, 7.35, 9.55 a. m., 2.45, 5.22 p. m. Sundays, 8.00, 10.45 a. m.
For NORTH CONWAY, 9.55, 11.16 a. m., 3.00 p. m.
For SOMERSWORTH and ROCHESTER, 4.50, 9.45, 9.55, 11.18 a. m., 2.40, 3.00, 5.30 p. m.
For DOVER, 4.50, 7.35, 9.45 a. m., 12.25, 2.40, 5.22, 8.52 p. m. Sundays, 8.00 10.45 a. m., 1.30, 5.00, 8.52 p. m.
For NORTH HAMPTON and HAMPTON, 7.30, 7.35, 8.15, 11.06 a. m., 1.38 5.00, 6.35 p. m. Sundays, 8.00 a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m.

Trains for Portsmouth.
LEAVE BOSTON, 6.00, 7.30, 9.00, 9.40 10.10 a. m., 2.30, 1.30, 3.15, 3.30 4.45, 7.00, 9.45 p. m. Sundays, 4.30 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 6.40, 7.00, 9.45 p. m.
LEAVE PORTLAND, 2.00, 9.00 a. m., 12.45 1.45, 6.00 p. m. Sundays, 2.00 a. m., 12.45 p. m.
LEAVE NORTH CONWAY, 7.15, 10.30 a. m., 3.02 p. m.
LEAVE ROCHESTER, 7.10, 9.47 a. m., 12.49, 5.30 p. m. Sundays, 7.00 a. m.
LEAVE SOMERSWORTH, 6.35, 7.32, 10.01 a. m., 1.02, 6.44, 7.22 p. m. Sundays, 6.39 a. m., 12.30, 4.12, 6.55 p. m.
LEAVE DOVER, 6.55, 8.10, 10.24 a. m., 1.30, 4.25, 6.30, 9.20 p. m. Sundays, 7.30 a. m., 12.45, 4.25, 9.20 p. m.
LEAVE HAMPTON, 8.02, 9.22, 11.58 a. m., 2.13, 4.26, 4.59, 6.16 p. m. Sundays, 6.26, 10.06 a. m., 8.09 p. m.
LEAVE NORTH HAMPTON, 8.07, 9.2 a. m., 12.04, 2.19, 4.31, 5.05, 6.31 p. m. Sundays, 6.30, 10.12 a. m., 8.15 p. m.
LEAVE GREENLAND, 8.13, 9.35 a. m., 12.10, 2.25, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sundays, 6.35, 10.18 a. m., 8.30 p. m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

PORTSMOUTH BRANCH.

Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:—
Portsmouth, 7.32, 8.30 a. m., 12.45, 5.25 p. m. Sundays, 5.20 p. m.
Greenland Village, 7.40, 8.39 a. m., 12.54, 5.33 p. m. Sundays,

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THE HERALD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1899

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending August 16th, as recorded in the register of deeds:

Anburn—Mary F. Newton of Rochester, et als., to Albert C. Bentou, land, \$115.

Candia—Mary L. Lang to John E. Hobbs, land, \$1; John E. Hobbs and Nellie A. Hobbs, to Mary L. Lang, land, \$5.

Chester—Benjamin Adams of Derry to Asa T. Truell of Candia, thirty acres of land, \$1.

East Kingston—William J. Honor of South Hampton to Nathaniel Batchelder of Newton, field and pasture land, \$1.

Epping—Hosea B. Miles of East Kingston to Walter B. Hill, land and buildings, \$1.

Greenland—John E. Seavey to Frank Jones of Portsmouth, sixteen acres of land, \$500; Charles D. Johnson and Augustus Johnson to William A. Odell, land and buildings, \$1400; William A. Odell to John S. H. Frink, land, \$400.

Hampton—George A. Carlisle of Exeter to Josephine A. Berry and Evaline A. Carlisle both of Exeter, portion of a tract of land, \$1.

Northwood—Pittsford Savings bank to Addie F. Templeton of Worcester, Mass., land and buildings, \$1.

Portsmouth—Richard W. Hale of Boston, et als., to Elizabeth H. Priest, land, \$1; Delta A. Cate, et als., to William Casey, land, \$350; Titus Salter Treddick to Frank Jones, land, \$1; Philip T. McWilliams to Thomas Wallace McWilliams, land, \$1.

Raymond—William H. Bailey to Abbie T. Ballou, land and buildings, \$1.

Salem—Nancy Dustin to Charles W. Bailey of Hampstead, land, \$95.

Seabrook—Joseph Perkins to John N. and Warren Perkins, 1-10 part of a tract of land, \$10.

NIGHT-BLOOMING CEREUS.

The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. O. S. Bakstel are the possessors of a night blooming cereus of which they are justly proud. Last evening this plant was a source of a great deal of interest for a small party of friends who gathered to witness the opening of nine blossoms. These were exceedingly large, each being from nine to fifteen inches in diameter, and they were very fragrant. Peculiar as the fact may seem this same plant bore exactly the same number of blossoms just one year ago last evening, the opening of which was witnessed by a large number of people. Fearing that only one or two would open last evening only a few friends were invited. The plant has been noted for its blooming qualities for a long time, Mrs. Bakstel having owned it for some over twelve years. The sight of so many opening at once was a revelation.—Manchester Mirror.

HORSE TROT AT YORK TODAY.

The horse trot at Long beach, York, takes place this afternoon, the races starting promptly at 2.30. Twenty horses have been entered and will make a big try for the seventy-five dollar purse which has been offered by the summer boarders there. One of the interesting features will be when Ed. Sheppard's Mogul and the York horse Savina come to the wire. There is much rivalry between the owners of these two horses and the outcome will be watched with interest.

WOODS NOT FEELING WELL.

Walter Woods is not feeling in the best of form, and it is probable that he will come home again for further recuperation. The effects of the malaria which forced him to lie off here for a week or two recently are still apparent, and he could not do his best work in the game at Boston Wednesday. He pitched for Louisville only three innings and was hit rather freely.

SENATOR MASON TO BUILD AT YORK

Senator Mason is planning to erect a summer home at York Harbor. He wants to secure a lot on the shore front at Eastern point, a very desirable location. The cottage will be of a tasty design and a decided acquisition to the neighborhood.

HEDDING CAMP MEETING.

The annual camp meeting at Hedding will commence on August 21st and continue through the week. The Rev. Ralph Gillum, the noted evangelist, will preach Tuesday and Wednesday.

Extract Your Bowels With Cascara. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation, torpidity, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, etc. 10c. C. C. C. Co., New York.

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LAWN PARTY.

Ladies of the Christ Church Give a Successful Out-Door Fete.

The beautiful grounds about Christ church and rectory, were the scene of one of the most successful lawn parties ever held in this city, on Wednesday afternoon and evening, the 16th inst. The grounds were handsomely decorated with flags and bunting and in the evening were fairly ablaze with many colored lanterns and lights. Booths were erected in different places amid the trees and shrubs, and numerous fancy articles, both useful and ornamental, as well as tempting refreshments, were offered for sale.

The Japanese ladies entertained in their corner of the grounds and offered their guests delicious cups of tea with sandwiches and sweet cakes. The ladies at the ice cream, lemonade and home-made candy booths did their best to please their patrons and succeeded in finding a ready sale for their wares. The fancy table was the center of attraction for the ladies and the handsome needlework was soon disposed of at good prices. During the afternoon and evening Joy and Philbrick's orchestra stationed on the paragon piazza discoursed excellent music both afternoon and evening. The affair was under the management of the ladies' auxiliary of the church and they may well feel proud over the success they achieved.

The following ladies were in charge of the different booths:

Japanese booth, where tea and lemonade were served with fancy crackers and cakes, Misses Spunney, Staples and Ward; Japs, Marguerite Dawson, Hattie Billbruck, Bradley and Marion Ward.

Fruit table, Miss Hattie Waldron.

Ice cream booth, Mrs. Blake; waitresses, Hattie Billbruck, Catherine Currie and Marguerite Dawson.

Cake table, Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. Smith.

Rice table, Miss Archibald.

Candy booth, Mrs. Keeland and Mrs. Shaw.

Fancy table, Mrs. Twombly, Mrs. Goddard, Miss Marshall and Miss Anderson.

A handsome sum was realized from the sale, for the benefit of the church.

CELEBRATES HIS 80TH BIRTHDAY.

Nathaniel Brew celebrated the 80th anniversary of his birth today. Although he is four score, Mr. Brew can be seen daily on the streets; his hearing is unimpaired, and his memory is excellent.

He was born in Tully China, county Clare, Ire, Aug. 17, 1819, the son of George and Elizabeth Brew. His life has been quite eventful.

In politics Mr. Brew has been a staunch democrat, casting his first vote for Pres. Buchanan. In spite of his years he has taken an active part in the campaigns, and has marched in the campaign companies up to the last presidential election. Under Pres. Cleveland's administration he was appointed a ship keeper at the navy yard.

Mr. Brew never uses liquors. Judging from his present health he bids fair to live many years.

OBSEQUIES.

The funeral of Miss Eliza Jane Rus sell was held at the home, 31 State street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. Myron Tyler officiated, and the Good Templar service was performed by officers of the order. Interment was in Harmony Grove, by Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Selma Brown was held at the Sparhawk house in Kittery at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon. The Rev. Mr. Faulkner officiated. Undertaker Nickerson of this city had charge of the arrangements.

DRAWN FROM THE SEAT.

F. L. Brown narrowly escaped serious injuries on Clinton street Wednesday. The horse that he was driving slipped on a loose stone and fell, pulling Mr. Brown from the seat. But for prompt assistance he would have been caught under the horse and crushed. As it was, he was painfully bruised about the back and shoulders and received a bad contusion over one eye.

WILL POSITIVELY LOCATE IN NEW YORK.

A despatch in the Lewiston Journal states that Hon. Thomas B. Reed will positively locate in New York and will not return to congress. The opinion now appears to be general that Hon. Amos L. Allen of Alfred will succeed him.

MAY STRIKE US NEXT.

Those two Mormon elders have been in Exeter for two or three days, distributing their religious tracts. They applied for permission to hold a public meeting on the square, but their request was not granted by the town fathers.

CITY BRIEFS.

The streets are dusty again. Go to Sea Point tonight.

The Resolute is taking on all her stores.

Golf cranks say this is great golf weather.

Horse racing at Long Beach this afternoon.

The police officers made no arrests last night.

And the hurricane got off its trolley, somewhere.

The Rye selectmen appear to have quieted down.

Another big auction sale is to be held at York Beach.

The employees at the Shoals hotels will visit this city tonight.

There is talk of erecting two large hotels at Roaring Rock, York.

The steamer Viking is carrying large crowds to the Shoals every day.

Sneak thieves have been getting in their work at the summer hotels.

A meeting of Storer Post, G. A. R., was held on Wednesday evening.

The route agent of the "Blue Jeans" company was here on Wednesday.

The workmen's lunch room at the navy yard will be made ready soon.

The fireworks at Sea Point tonight will attract a big throng to that resort.

The Woodbury law library could not be duplicated for ten thousand dollars.

The fishing throughout the state was never so good as it has been this season.

Don't forget the fireworks at Sea Point tonight.

A number of the strongest attractions on the road have been booked for Music hall.

Harry (Dutchy) Givens is substituting at the Jerry's Point life-saving station.

Conner, photographer studio, (formerly Nickerson's,) No. 1 Congress street.

Officer Shannon arrested a drunken stranger in the business section this morning.

Another open air concert will be given at the Wentworth house this Thursday evening.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

Several parties will submit bids for the sluiceway which is to be removed from the navy yard.

The beautiful moon last evening made pleasure riding of every description most enjoyable.

The Wentworth will remain open until October first, and most of the shore hotels will do likewise.

The patrolmen say it is cold enough for a heavy overcoat from one to three o'clock these mornings.

Fruit dealers here say it is about impossible to get Delaware grapes from the Boston wholesalers.

Officer Quinn picked up a large bundle of song books on Congress street on Wednesday evening.

Messrs. R. H. Beacham and Son have added a new and elegant hearse to their already excellent livery.

Old smokers and new beginners pronounce Dowd's Honest Ten Cigar the finest brand on the market.

The city assessors have reached the point in their year's work where there is but little left for them to do.

Rubber heels become very popular and John G. Mott is fitting out the local public with an excellent article.

The man who has been away on a vacation is making the stay at homes envious by showing his well tanned face.

The Warner club boys who celebrate their first anniversary on October first, are making elaborate plans for that event.

Supt. Meloon is anticipating a great rush to Sea Point this evening and will run many extra cars to accommodate the people.

The U. S. T. S. Newport has just been given another trial trip and for 156 hours she averaged a speed of eight knots.

Amoskeag mills stock sold at 1776 1-4 at auction in Boston yesterday, two being made at that price—a slight advance over the last quotation.

Marshal Entwistle has sent to the police chiefs in all the surrounding cities a description of the watch that was recently stolen from the Wentworth.

Dr. William O. Jenkins has purchased two house lots near the stand pipe, of the Sugden Bros., and is to erect a couple of tenement houses thereon, to rent.

The cripple who crawled around the streets of Portsmouth on his hands and knees for a day or two recently, has now reached Concord in his tour of the state.

The New Hampshire fish and game commission has just completed its work for the season of restocking the lakes, ponds and streams of the state with trout, salmon and whitefish fry.

PERSONALS.

Freeman L. Brown went to Dover today.

Frank Davidson of Boston was in town today.

Miss Maud Harmon is the guest of friends in this city.

Governor F. W. Rollins has gone to Snaapee for a stay.

Walter L. Watson of Dover was in town on Wednesday.

E. B. Heath of South Boston has been in town for a day or two.

City Clerk M. A. Kearns of Somersworth was in town today.

Mrs. James Magraw of Dennett street is visiting friends in Dover.

Henry Varney of Dover is the guest of F. L. Woods, Wilbur street.

R. N. Nathan of the E. M. Hall Co., Boston, was in town Wednesday night.

Misses Beatrice and Emma Hartford are visiting in South Framingham, Mass.

Capt. J. G. Eaton, U. S. N., entertained friends on the Resolute on Wednesday.

Miss Lucy E. French of Somerville, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. N. Dixon.

Curtis Marston has concluded his duties at the Oceanic, Star Island, for the season.

Miss Roberta Edmunds is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace J. Knowles in Seabrook.

Mrs. John W. Sanborn of Seabrookville is the guest of Mrs. F. N. Dixon in South Eliot.

Florence Cleaves of Boston Highlands is visiting Mrs. D. F. Borthwick, Highland street.

Capt. Ed Fernald has gone to Portland to take the position as mate of the sloop Empress.

Miss Daisy Drew of Dover is the guest of Mrs. Oliver Goldsmith in this city, for a fortnight.

W. N. Young, clerk of the Portsmouth electric railway, is occupying the Paul house on Dennett street.

Mr. Dennis J. Lynch, driver of Kearsarge S. F. E. No. 3, left today for New York on his annual ten days' vacation.

Lewis Brown has severed his connection as steward of the tugboat H. A. Mathes and has secured a position in Dover.

The Misses Mamie and Bertha Jones of Manchester are spending their vacation in Portsmouth and at the surrounding beaches.

Miss Minnie C. Costello of Roxbury has returned home after passing her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. D. Long, of State street.

Cashier Charles F. Shillaber of the Mechanics' and Traders' bank, and family, have gone to North Rye beach for a sojourn.

Miss Ruth Dantley, who has been the guest of Mrs. William O. Jenkins, on State street, for the past week, has returned to Boston.

Charles W. Badger has returned to his duties in New York city. Mrs. Badger and son Cecil are domiciled with Mrs. Kent, Islington street.

Dr. A. C. Leach of Orange, Mass., is passing a week's vacation in this city, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leach, Marcy street.

William Crane of the firm of G. H. Mason & Co., Boston, drove through here Wednesday to York Harbor, to join his family for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hall of Exeter, who have been visiting Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. C. H. Magraw, Dennett street, have gone to Brockton, Mass., for a few days.

Mrs. Charles Benjamin and two children of Portland, Me., who have been the guests of friends in this city the past month, returned to the Forest city on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bickford of Rochester, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pease, were the guests of friends in town Wednesday, going from here to York for the rest of the season.

GOING TO GAY PAREE.

Four young men about town have clubbed together in a scheme to go to the world's fair in Paris next year. A month ago they began laying aside a certain sum each Saturday, and by the first of next June, when they intend to sail for France, they expect to have two hundred and fifty dollars apiece to take them over and put them up in gay Paree for six weeks. They meet every month and take account of stock to see if each member of the quartet is saving the stipulated amount.

CAUGHT A BIG FISH.

John Caswell, a fisherman, employed by E. L. Chaney at the Mid-Ocean house, Isles of Shoals, caught a halibut on Wednesday noon which tipped the scales at 382 pounds. The big fish was brought to this city for E. Newton & Co.

GEN. MILES COMING.

He Is Expected at York Harbor Today.

Major-General Nelson A. Miles is expected at the Albracca, York Harbor today, for quite a sojourn with his family. It is also expected that he will pay an official visit of inspection to Fort Constitution before returning to Washington.

General Miles arrived at Gloucester, Mass., Wednesday, on a steam yacht and was the guest over night of Henry C. Rouse, the millionaire summer resident, at the Rumparts, Eastern point. Whether he will continue up the coast on the yacht or come from Gloucester by train is uncertain.

The general sent to York Harbor on Wednesday afternoon for his aid, who has been awaiting his arrival at the Albracca, and the latter at once went to Gloucester with the general's mail.

The Albracca told the Herald at 2.30 this afternoon that Gen. Miles was looked for on every train.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT

In Which A 60-Foot Rail Figured.

A peculiar accident happened on the Boston & Maine railroad at Rowley, Mass., yesterday afternoon. A lot of sixty-foot steel rails for the trolley road there were being unloaded from a flat car by means of skids, when one of the latter slipped up and left a rail projecting out across the other track. Just then passenger train 68 came bowling along and the first coach had every window on that side ripped out by the hanging rail, while one passenger received quite a cut across the cheek.

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